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RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION OF DECEMBER 14, 2006

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Action of December 14, 2006, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.